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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ("USPTO")**

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<b>Title:</b>	COMMUNICATION PATH RESTORATION METHOD BASED ON PREPLANNED NETWORK NOTE CONFIGURATION		

September 21, 2009

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2009, whose period for response is hereby petitioned for extension by two (2) months to September 28, 2009, kindly amend the above-identified application as set forth below. In view of the same as well as the following remarks, kindly reconsider and further examine the application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.